

Interdisciplinary Water Resources Seminar GRAD592

Fall 2017 Theme:

Water Management in Colorado

Monday, October 16, 2017 4:00 – 5:00 PM,
BSB Room 103

Water Quality

Compliance, Point and Non-Point Pollution, NPDES Permitting, and WOTUS

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Biography:

Patrick Pfaltzgraff has a wealth of environmental and leadership experience based on his work and educational background. He received a Bachelor of Arts from the University of Nebraska at Omaha, a Juris Doctorate from the University of Nebraska College of Law, Master of Laws in Environmental Law from George Washington University Law School, and a Master of Business Administration from the University of Denver, Daniels College of Business. Pfaltzgraff served for over 23 years the United States Air Force. Starting out as an aircrew member and aircraft technician, Pfaltzgraff eventually served in the Air Force Judge Advocate General's (JAG) Corps where he was able to obtain a specialization in environmental law. He once directed the largest Air Force environmental legal services organization on the east coast. He attained the rank of major by the end of his career. Additionally, as an Assistant Attorney General in the Colorado Attorney General's Office, Pfaltzgraff provided legal advice covering a broad spectrum of environmental law and policy issues for both the Water Quality Control Division and Hazardous Materials Waste Management Division. He provided instrumental support for numerous Water Quality Control Commission rule-making actions as well as assistance with environmental statutory and regulatory changes.



Abstract:

This lecture will be a discussion with students about the water quality side of management, including a discussion about the data bases one might use in dealing with those issues. There will be an emphasis on the current regulatory framework that facilitates and constrains water quality management in the State of Colorado. In addition, there will be a discussion about current issues facing the Water Quality Control Division, and a look into the future of water quality management.



All interested faculty, students, and off-campus guests are encouraged to attend.
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